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OFFICER ALBERT H. PATT, MANAGER.

2. THE FIRM, ESTABLISHED IN 1964, IS A MEDIUM SIZED MANU-
FACTURER AND LARGE DISTRIBUTOR/IMPORTER OF AIRCRAFT
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, NAVIGATION COMPUTERS, CONTROLS
FOR JET ENGINES, FUEL CONTROLS, CABIN AIR CONDITIONERS,
HEAT EXCHANGERS, WATER SEPARATORS, AND TEST SETS FOR
AIRBORNE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT. ITS ACTIVITIES ALSO
INCLUDE SERVICE, OVERHAUL AND REPAIR OF AIR DATA COMPUTERS,
TEMPERATURE SENSORS, PNEUMATIC STARTERS, ENCODERS ETC.
IN ADDITION, ITS DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM INCLUDES SYNCHROS
AND SERVO COMPONENTS, PHOTO ELECTRIC PUNCHED TAPE
READERS, AND MAGNETIC CASSETTE DIGITAL RECORDER SYSTEMS.
IT HAS 325 EMPLOYEES AND SELLS TO WEST GERMAN, ECM AND
EFTA COUNTRIES. CHIEF CUSTOMERS ARE THE WEST GERMAN AND
NATO ARMY PROCUREMENT OFFICES.

3. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: DRESDNER BANK AG, FRANKFURT,
SMH & CO., FRANKFURT, TRADE REFERENCES: REMEX ELECTRONICS,
1733 ALTON STREET, SANTA ANA, CALIF. 92705; UNITED AIRCRAFT
CORP., HARTFORD, CONN. 96108 AND SEE ITEM 4.

4. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED AND LICNESE ARRANGEMENTS:
GARRET CORP., TORRANCE, CALIF. 90509 (LICENSE AND SALE
OF PARTS FOR AIR DATA COMPUTERS); HAMILTON STANDARD DIV.,
WINDSOR LOCKS, CONN. (LICENSE AND SALE OF AIR INTAKE CONTROL
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AND FUEL CONTROLS); UNITED AIRCRAFT CORP., EAST HARTFORD,

CONN. (SALE OF FUEL CONTROLS); REMEX ELECTRONICS, SANTA ANA, CALIF. (SALE OF PHOTO-ELECTRIC PUNCHED TAPE READERS ETC).

5. THE FIRM HAS A GOOD REPUTATION, COMPETENT MANAGEMENT AND AN ORDERLY FINANCIAL SITUATION. IT IS REGISTERED AS A CORPORATION WITH DM 15 MILLION CAPITAL AND CONTROLLED BY NUMEA AG, CHUR, SWITZERLAND (90 PERCENT), AND UNITED AIRCRAFT CORP., HARTFORD, CONN. (10 PERCENT). THE CORPORATION OWNS ITS PLANT AND BUSINESS REAL ESTATE, VALUED AT ABOUT DM 10 MILLION WITH NORMAL ENCUMBRANCES. BANKING SOURCES STRESS PLEASANT BUSINESS CONNECTION, GRANT CREDITS, AND REPORT PROMPT RETURNS. NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED. RECOMMENDED AS A GOOD BUSINESS CONTACT FOR AMERICAN FIRMS.

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